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TAGS: PINT, AR, PERON

SUBJ: PERON SAYS ELECTIONS IN THE CONGRESS WOULD BE UN-  
CONSTITUTIONAL

1. ADDRESSING SOME 2,800 MEMBERS OF THE FEMINIST WING OF THE JUSTICIALIST MOVEMENT YESTERDAY PERON, NEEDLESS TO SAY, STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF WOMEN IN POLITICAL PROCESS AND AGAIN TOOK A SWIPE AT THE YOUTH SECTOR. HE SUGGESTED HIS WORDS MIGHT ORIENT YOUTH AS WELL AS FEMINIST WING BUT THAT FIRST YOUTH WOULD HAVE TO PUT ITSELF IN ORDER BECAUSE "WHERE SHOTS ARE BEING FIRED WORDS CAN'T BE HEARD". IN SAME VEIN PERON CAME DOWN HARD ON VIOLENCE AS A POLITICAL INSTRUMENT AND SAID THAT LAWLESSNESS IN ARGENTINA MUST BE ENDED.

2. PERHAPS OF MORE IMMEDIATE INTEREST, PERON IN SUBSEQUENT DISCUSSION WITH NEWSMEN STATED FLATLY THAT PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS COULD NOT BE HELD IN THE CONGRESS SINCE "THAT WOULD BE UNCONSTITUTIONAL."

3. WHILE NOT RULING OUT POSSIBILITY THAT EVA PERON'S BODY WILL BE RETURNED JUST PRIOR TO ELECTIONS, PERON INDICATED THAT

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PRESS STORIES TO THAT EFFECT WERE BASED ON NOTHING BUT THIN

AIR.

4. COMMENT: PERON'S REMARKS CONCERNING UNCONSTITUTIONALITY OF  
ELECTIONS IN CONGRESS WOULD SEEM TO RULE OUT THAT POSSIBILITY  
AND MAKE POPULAR ELECTIONS ON SEP 23 MUCH MORE LIKELY.

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